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THE AFFAIR AT FREDERICKS.

tone of many of the newspapers from what of the soldiers, would have been heard on every side. ' True-it would have been saidsome thousands of noble and gallant men notion on principles of eternal justice and last examing, they, at least, are in a good dolost their lives in the attack, and three or prudence. No true patriot will admit into gree exempt from the depressing influences four times as many were more or less severely wounded, and the country will always mourn the loss of such heroes, and honor those who bear through life the marks of the terrible battle at Fredericksburgh. War is bloody business at best, and we must take the evil with the good.' Even the most determined opposers of the Administration, the most malignant railors at "the radicals," the follows: heartiest sympathiness with the cause of the rebellion, would have for the time held their breath, and waited for a more propitious time to give vent to their enmitties. But the attack failed, as in every war some attacks and some defences fail.

Though the generalship which planued the attack and carried the troops successfully over a river in face of a powerful enemy and who desire to go into the rubel lines not to season we direct our readers' attention to If a coronastances shape your course led them to the assault, was the same—though return, \$50 dollars worth of personal same of the places where they can obtain past Team's Chithing Store, allow him by officers and men pressed on for hours in face chithing only being allowed for buggage. of a storm of leaden and iron hall of unsur. This will stop all grumbling of rebels at not passed fury from an enemy which had select- being allowed to visit their friends in the attack, and a speedy decision from the gen-

authority, as to the responsitive of this and that officer. Yells against Lincoln, yells against Hulleck, yells against Santon, yells against Meigs, yells against radicals and abolitonists, yells against Cabinat Ministers yells against Members of Congress, yells against Members of Congress, yells against all who have not been ready to swest that McClellan is the greatest general since Hannibal, have filled the columns of the New York World, the New York Hernid, and the whole pack of yelpers in their train in city and country. Every wounded addir was counted by them as a dead man, batchered on the field by the radical and incompetent generals, and suprincipled politicians. If the gallant dead were lauded and the bravery of the seldiers generally praised, it was done to give point and force to the fary of the enslaught on these who were accessed of be-

great forces are employed on any occasion, room alone limited the number comprising who, or to expatiate on the latest New York in the telegraphic news of the 18th. every general of experience says there must the audience. The tollowing is a list of and Paris fashions which Mas. Grand exhibbe some uncertainty about the result. The rhetorical exercises and names of the pupils its we should be sure not to be ridiculous; sudden death of a commander, though who took part in them : a subordinate one, the explosion or capture of a - ingle cannon, the dash of one charge, The Union .- Witherer. the slight tardiness of one column, the destructiveness of one discharge of musketry, St. Niebelas - Moore,

for an assailing army, if from a bloody and

unsuccessful struggle like that at Fredericks-

burgh, it comes back with its discipline and

FROM NEW ORLEANS.

dications of Butler's continued presence, as

combat as over.

DECLAMATIONS. J. H. Brinsmald. W. S. Farmer, yourselves. the obstacle of one ditch or fence, offtimes History of Our Flag .- Patnam. C. A. Murray. chances always have to be run. Well is it Republicanism a Failure. - Anonymous.

The Constitution - Legare. COMPOSITIONS. courage unharmed; with the great body of The Mystery of Life.

its force as resolute, able and ready for future A Mother's Grave. It Snows. One thing we should all keep in mind.

The cause of our Government is the cause of Justice, of Humanity, of Human Liberty, of Free Institutions—not only for our own great country, but for the world. The great country, but for the world. The Bubble Blowing rebellion has, indeed, spread out into vast Gone. proportions-far greater than either robel or Dialogue. Nattle Kendall and Sarah Johonnott. loyalist ever looked for when it began. But Passing Away. Luciya Mitchell. Nellie Nelson.

> Lizzie Pay. Surah Stoeum and Frank Stoeum.

Fredericksburgh succeeded: had ben or twenty thousand prisoners and fifty gons been taken, five thousand prisoners and fifty gons been taken, five thousand rebeits been left dead on the field, and the rebei army division, the loyal people, become false to go the first atoms were stall varieties of excellence, and the singing, were from its fortifications and dispersed, even at cost of twice the Union loss which actually occurred, how different would have been the tone of many of the newspapers from what great and flery trial stronger and fresher manner in which the best of the orations

> Whether Gon. Banks is to relieve Gen. suffer. Butter in command at New Orleans, as has. The next form of the school begins on the been stated, or not, it is evident that he had first Monday in Juneary, at which time can. Whether or not J. E. Barsewarn on Church not reached there on the 10th inst., as letters didness for admission are particularly desired. Street, bus any thing of the kind, a lank in night of Friday the 12th inst. The loss is fr in New Orleans up to that date bring in- to present themselves.

Have come, netwithstanding the War, in It will be remembered that in September a

ed their own position, and made it country. But what is to be done with the strong by every device in their power, the registered enemies" who do not desire to leave is not yet stated. The prospect cannot at high fall was a constituent in the first state. The prospect cannot attack, and a specify decision from the genwith anything desired in the way of

to refer it—that the only side curse was
to withdraw the array. This decision was
made and carried out with a wisdom and
success which in like circum-tance was nonor exceeded in the whole instity of war. The
discipline of the soldiers in the retreat was
equal to their valor in the array.

But though the army was saved, the
attack had failed. Forthwith there arises
an outburst of wrath and manipular from
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next establishment, opened since our last Christmas article, may be found anything to init in the initial control of particles and in the same.

We quote a couple of participate:

The same.

While Mr. Lev. Lawrence of Ladium, was created and wanted and anything to make the same.

We quote a couple of participate:

but as it is we might mistake Honston lace for Mechlin or something worse—and we only say to our fair readers, go and see for yourselves.

Alsston, N. C., Dec. 14.

You Mry. Gen. Halleck?

You that I left Newbern for this plate on the 11th inst., but that, owing to the bad roads and comequent delays to my trains, Ac., 1 and not reach

changes the whole tide of the battle. These Death of Warren Sergent. F. W. Partridge. goods, notions and toys in large variety.

We have heard it intimated that a pair of Rossie Blinn. from Jawert's. If you have beretofore to and commissary stores.

agreed with the unbertomate min who deOur base still probably not exceed 200 killed and agreed with the unfortunate man who declared Shake-peare's famous lines should moud

get your pelal extremities cad,-iron cad

whose referentionally takes too large a mouth- Johnson, is 83 years old, and an etenght as we have heard. What praises of the decision than ever for a glorious future, assume the were delivered, was especially commendate, and of tourse's prepared horse-radials, will a market of the commendate, and energy of the generals—of the daring nations of the carth. Be the duration of II Mr. Camp and his pupils have the kind think semething has hold of his new, we she has knit three pairs of double mixtures in and skill of the attack, and of the courage the struggle one year, or five years, or five struggle one year, or five years, or five years, or five struggle one year, or five years, or fi years more, there can be but one result to it linkers through the year, that would seem to but and pleasant continent, and we recome ar read the first print, without the aid of two of the Whole on the President's Message, and that result the Unity of the entire be indicated by the warm interest numbered mend it for the table at dinner on Consumas glasses. She has been the mother of sixteen

his mind the possibility of any other result. to that general neglect, from which our edu. kinds, Emparational Hannana offer to the dren, making in all, one handred and eighty cational interests as a whole undoubtedly gott buying public setter, gold and recous two descendants. stoner, and loss of protty and describle artidisesticfied that your pures will not allow you by buy yet more.

spite of premium on gold, without the our cotemporaries urges should be raised so Whotcomb, a blanket from Calvin Coburn, fist of " registered enemies" of the United slightest regard to cabinet changes, and just as practically to probability to probability to probability to probability of Fairles, and a sleight from Mr. Heath, of States was made by order of Gen. Butler, as if McCiellan or Jeff Davis had never level. the article by saying, " if you was use tobac. The ford Bow. The sleigh being an old one embracing all on a published list, who before a specified time, openly refused to take the coath of allegames. An order dated Ber. 5th says transportation will be furnished to all says transportation will be furnished to all and lave for their friends as ever before; and according to our usual wont at this part of the property of the article by saying, "if you was use to be construction, and all the rights and privilege was thrown over a bank, and a better one was thrown over a bank, and a better one was thrown over a bank, and a better one was thrown over a bank, and a better one was thrown over a bank, and a better one was thrown over a bank, and a better one was thrown over a bank, and a better one was thrown over a bank, and a better one was thrown over a bank, and a better one was thrown over a bank, and a better one was thrown over a bank, and a better one was thrown over a bank, and a better one was thrown over a bank, and a better one was thrown over a bank, and a better one was thrown over a bank, and a better one was thrown over a bank. The sleigh being an old one was thrown over a bank, and a better one was thrown over a bank. The sleigh being an old one was thrown over a bank, and a better one was thrown over a bank, and a better one was thrown over a bank, and a better one was thrown over a bank, and a better one was thrown over a bank, and a better one was thrown over a bank, and a better one was thrown over a bank, and a better one that the observation of the observation of

suitable Heliday gefts for these they love. - all means to shape you a coat, whether from Where to begin is a grave question, it to be the stock on hand ready made, or from the ed their own positron, and had made it country. But what is to be done with the

war is success during the progress of it, to Nothwithstanding the inclement weather dence. Were there a kind lady friend just challenged from the progress of it, to Nothwithstanding the inclement weather dence. Were there a kind lady friend just challenged from the progress of it, to Nothwithstanding the inclement weather dence. Were there a kind lady friend just challenged from the progress of it, to Nothwithstanding the inclement weather dence. be found always on one side; that able gen- of Friday evening, the Exhibition, closing the now at our elbow to dictate praises of that full statement of the Federal victory. It will able letter was one) was the following, aderals often find themselves foiled by able generals against them; that especially where very fully attended. The capacity of the nice for a Christmas gift to —, never mind the account of the robel Gen. Evans, given Thompson, about a year before. The writer

HEADQUARTERS, DEP'T NORTH CAROLINA, & KISSTON, N. C., Dec. 14.

termination of Mr. Buchanan's administre-

[Private.]

MR. NOUL'S SPEECH.

Mr. Noel of Misseurs, spoke as follows:

Mr Nort of Missouri, argued that the gree

"Manners, Tenn., Oct. 25, 1859.

he was addressing !

J. H. Brinsmaid,
W. S. Farmer,
P. W. Hickek,
C. A. Murray.
F. W. Partridge

goods, notions and toys in large variety.
J. H. Wager
G. S. Wright

Alice Morse.

Agnes Kettles.

Carrie Mills.

We have heard it intumated that a pair of

Mas. Thompson deep not confine herself to yourselves.

Yourselves.

Mas. Thompson deep not confine herself to the delay to my trains, dee, I did not reach Southwest Creek, five miles from this fown, until the atternoon of the 13th into. The enemy much lose posted there, but by a heavy actillery fire in front and a vigorous infantry attack on either flank, I much lose that we goods, notions and toys in large variety.

Plant has Fors, those most delightful of all New Year's gitte, so suggestive of skatting, sleigh-rading and winter delights of all sorts. Our old friend Allan, though he doesn't say so, he no doubt has as heretofare a valuable and choice assertment of that same.

We have heard it intumated that a pair of The bridge over the Neuse at this point was pre-

wounded. I am, with great respect, Your ob't serv's,

Maj. Gen. Comma-

VERMONT ITEMS.

children, by whom she has had ninety-sex dewelry, as nice as ever, and of an many grand children and seventy great grand chil-

cles especially suitable for the present time.

D. P. Fales, in Positivey, was burned on the

On Wedneslay night, Dec. 10th, a dark bay horse was stolen from John M. Fuller, There is a tax on Tobacco, which one of of West Fairles, also a harness from Thomas registered enemies," both men and women. and according to our usual wont at this Peterson's, we present, -utd smake it. when their pursurers were last heard from

with a singular ascident on the evening of

to unmanily and desponding thoughts, of an injurious though not unpatrictic character. We have injurious though not unpatrictic character. We have from this comfort—that the success of the Goving thoughts, or an injurious though not unpatrictic character. We have successed the Goving thoughts, or an injurious though not unpatrictic character. The first it is of any injurious though not unpatrictic character. We have successed the Goving this comfort—that the success of the Goving this comfort—that the success of the Goving this comfort—that is all that is of any consequence in the premises.

It will not fail to do his whole duty, whoever is in command; and that is all that is of any consequence in the premises.

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It will not fail to do his whole duty, whoever is in command; and that is all that is of any consequence in the premise. plan was hit upon, without any great losses There are many men competent to fill any other way, and we have known "children of found Saturday marging half a mile south of There are many men competent to fill any plans was hit upon, without any great losses on the side of the rightful authority, that somehow, when armies of 50,000 and 100, the semation papers are in the wildest tan-tomos over the matter, just as they always other, it is altogether inexcusable in any plane tary point of view, it our generals have not such as thorough knowledge of the forces and attorough knowledge of the forces and attorough knowledge of the forces and attorough knowledge of the many as to insure the victors of the semants and seeing, avoid being suited for papers are in the wildest tan-tomos over the matter, just as they always estimated in order of the Rutland Depot, east side of the track, in this planes, force to death. She wandered the glass ware are to be bought of Baows, hands of the great the creamy dound not come out of his strong of the semantic may be vacated. Meanwhile, larger growth" pleased by a gift of Campbell' the Rutland Depot, east side of the track, in this planes, force to death. She wandered the creamy dound not come out of his strong of the semantic may be used the creamy days and the common of the Rutland Depot, east side of the track, in this planes, from James Large about the growth will be found equal to the question presented.

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to our side. They forget that in no great | The Exhibition or the U. H. School. - | Millinery Goods we approach with diffi- The Kinston Arrain. - The following offi- | Among the letters captured at Oxford, Not the least demoralization or disorganiza-

emplished the feat of thus recrossing the river in the face of the enemy. I own everything. For the failure in the attack I an ible, as the extreme gall-entry, couris now one of the rebel generals. The boldness with which he asks for passports for those exceeded, and would have carried the points is now one of the rebel generals. The boldness had it been possible. To the families and engaged with him in a secret migration for triends of the dead I can only offer my heart-felt sympathics; but for the wounded I can the purpose of acquiring Cuba before the offer my earnest prayers for their comfortable and final recovery.

The fact that I decided to move from War-

tion, and for \$10 000 in cash to be used for the same cause, shows that he know the men renton on this line rather against the opin-ion of the President, Secretary of War and yourself, and that you left the whole movenent in my hands without giving me orders, makes me responsible. I will visit you very soon and give you more definite information, To His Facellency, James Buchawan, and the Hon. J. Thompson: "Dear sire—The numerical strength of the civil and finally will send you my detailed report, in which a special acknowledgement will be made of the services of the d ff rent grand directly to move for Cu.a; and as your Exeminency has teld a row had a very a service services. 25,000. Of this number, about 1,000 or 8,000 are made of the services of the d p rent grain diversed to nove for Ca. a; and as your Excellency has told a you had every confidence to me, and you, the Hen. Mr. Thompson, have assured me that the federal efficers of New Orleans and Stobile hearty cooperation. I will next here, that would be interested to the services of the effect of the services of the d prent grain diversed with thousand. After firing into a train, they took up the track for a considerable distance and burned a long tree-of work. The teleprone to the me and my emistant that the federal effects of New Orleans and Stobile hearty cooperation. I will next here, that yoursell requested me not to be in haste, for the reason that we were supplied much soon-er by the differen staff departments than was

you, the Rock of Secretary and Weblis would a instruction to the meant my emigrant friends para, I now very report ully reques that you place in the hands of our mutual friends, Mr C. Gallaway and C. M. Campbell, of the Memphis Avalanche, your most faithful supporters, the necessary perspects for my benefit, and the sum of \$10,000, secret services finds, for the use and benefit of the sections as shown in supering the above, in supporting your cause in acquiring Chab by civil emigration, and with the use of that meant, they will be enabled earniestly and albeitable to scooperate with you for the accomplishment of that grand edject. The political persisten of the Aralanche, as a true democratic Austinitation paper, it whild the necessary influence in seccessfully accomplishing the acquisition of Caits before the termination of the present dimensions and the political aspect now leadly substitute, and the political aspect now leadily substitute of the present of slight wounds than usual, sixteen handed and thirty-two only being changed for about the same number taken by shortly with remaints of certain regiments, us. The wounded were all removed to this stragglers and elated officers in all eight or os. The wounded were all removed to this side of the river and are being well cared for, and the dead were all baried under a flag of trues. The Surgeons reports much larger account of the battle of Fredericksburgh, proportion of slight wounds than usual, sixteen hundred and thirty-two only being places their losses at 1.800 killed and wounded the battle of the ba

XXXVIII Congress-2d Session.

Waterspar, Dec. 22. SENATE.

On Thursday the House being in Commithe men supplyyed to navigate them, and that the

Mr. Latham submitted a memorial of meatly all the flatower Companies in the United States, for an armidowest to the internal personnel as.

Mr. Lowis introduced a bill requiring the Pre-tiles to appoint commissioners to adjust, entitle and quistar claims recounts and debta between the United States and any State during the United States and State

m was adopted that the committee on

statistics, the trapposing of the day of the present leads to the complete control of the contro

News of the War.

NO MOVEMENT AT FREDERICKSBURG

A REBEL RAID

RUMORED CHANGES IN THE CABINET

A dispatch Saturday evening (20th) from the Heatquarters of the Army of the Poto-mac says that about daylight on Friday morning about one hundred of Hampton's rebel cavalry entered Occupan and captured a Lieutenant and 30 privates of the 10th N Y. Cavalry, who were guarding the tele-graph lines. Eleven sattlers and d sutlers' wagons were also secured by the cebels. A body of rebel cavalry made a raid on the

A body of reper examy made a read on the railroad near Jackson, Tennesses, on Friday morning of hast week. Their number was variously estimated at from two to eight thousand. After firing into a train, they thousand districts graphic operator at Trenton, (Tenn.) reported an attack on that place Friday evening. There was excitement at Columbus Ky, in

our killedfamounts to 1,152; our wounded 53rd Massachusetts and the 175th, New to about 9,000, and our prisoners to about York to join Gen. Hanks' expedition. Ano700, which hist have been paroled and exther ressel, the L. Sturges, will leave

of the cords with which the rebel lenders supposed they had board the nation, hand and foot, so that it could offer no resonance to their plan for the rebersion of its Govern ment,—how notwithstanding the unit-ked for aid and countenance which their plan to course has received from abroad, they have not gained a single-point beyond what the beginning, but have beginning, and a theory beginning for any beginning to present the mouth, and which the rest of the course which in the rest of the course where are the support of the course where are the support of the course, where are the support of the course, where are the support of the course, and thirty- the only build and three ther handed to made the nation, hand and differ and thirty- the only build and the surface of Butland.

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But graph corps; Wm. Fester, of N. Y., and a number of suttlers and clerks. At evening 460 more prisoners arrived, including 11 commissioned officers. The men were in line aparate, and indulged in joking remarks says ing they had arrived here before "Bursy." "taking Richmond by themselves."

A remountation from the Secretary of War, was submitted in regard to chartering the steam of Blance and Niegora. Gen Banks was an uncerted to present his reactly from Commodities Variationally, but no official report was received from banks. Upon its receipt, it is in his transmitted to the Senate, the receipt, it is in his transmitted to the Senate, the first power. Mr. Official Senate in Early Proceedings of the submitted of three members in applicant it inequires late and report to the Senate, the fact in regard in characterist to the Senate, the fact in regard in characterist to the Senate, the fact in regard in characterist to the Senate, the fact in regard in characterist to the Senate, the Senate paper says, on Thursday lass, the North Caralina Senate, with two descriptions of the mess supplied to navigate them, and that the Caster Tounder on a charge of dishayably.

s men supplyed to navigate them, and that the Costic Thunder on a charge of disloyably, number be supposed to send for persons and and calling for his roturn to runz Serie, that his case may be investigated by North Caro-

A disputely from Coldsborough, Day, 16. says the artiflery duel at Whitehall, sixtom miles west of this point on the Neury, his been going on all day. The abolitionists some of the Neuse. Their expalry made a rail of Mount Olive depth, on the Wilmington rail-road nine miles from this point, tearing up the road, burning bridges and depote, and cutting telegraph wires,"

The Washington Sur of Dec. 20, 2an ness that Secretaries Chamand S. have resigned.

Washington specials are filled with specialisms as to the reconstruction of the Cabe They are too vague and unreliable to ear reporting.
The N. Y. Tewes' disputch says, " we have

legh authority for the statement that the President himself write a dispatch to Gen. a the stury in the late of the wing, which was suppressed by then, Hallsch." Fifteen with delayer:

of to delaye: only and afformal measures to taken for ranker. Friday or enting from Falmound, and muce, posses to America, and that no time may be store expected Samary. Turns far, where

Franklin's budgaarters are removed buck from nour the piece to a grove

The taxable property of California is \$150.000,000, and one third of this amount is